Salisbury State College

Tennis '75

Coach Dean Burroughs

Dean Burroughs, Associate Professor of Physical Education and Health, is in his second year as tennis coach at Salisbury State. In his first year with the Sea Gulls, he led the team to an 11-5 season and a second place finish in the District I X Tournament.

Dean is responsible for instituting a fall tennis program enabling team players to practice and participate in tournaments. SSC now hosts its own collegiate invitational tournament in the fall which is expected to grow into one of the finest in the East.

Since Dean's arrival, a southern tennis trip has been added to the schedule each spring and the tennis schedule has been increased to 23 dual matches.

Dean brings impressive credentials to SSC. He served as Athletic Director and tennis coach at Gaston College in North Carolina. He coached his teams to the 1971 and 1972 NCCCAC Championships and was the conference "Coach of the Year" both years. He is well known around North Carolina for his playing, teaching and development of young tennis players and his name is rapidly spreading around the Eastern Shore.

In addition to his collegiate coaching and teaching duties, Dean is the tennis professional at the Riordan Tennis Center in Salisbury. He is an experienced director of tennis camps, clinics and amateur tournaments and has served as a club professional.

He is a member of the United States Professional Tennis Association (USPTA), United States Lawn Tennis Association, Mid-Atlantic Tennis Association and Maryland Tennis Association. He rates as a USPTA "professional."

Prospectus

With its top players returning and five promising players available, Salisbury State College's 1975 tennis team is expected to be a strong one.

The returning players from last year's 11-5 team are led by Mark Sewell, last year's number one ranked player, and Billy Hyle from the number one ranked doubles team. Other returning players are Morgan White, last year's number two player and lettermen Paul Dawson and Jody Whitelock.

The sparkling group of new players is headed by Greg Robinson from Boone, N.C. He was the number one player on the District Champion Lees-McRae College team. Lees-McRae finished with a 20-4 season record and Greg experienced a strong 21-3 season in singles.

Also from the junior college ranks is Wray Cannaday, David Dameron, and Denny Broderick. All three were the number one players on the junior college teams of Ferrum Jr. College, Gaston College, and Catonsville Jr. College respectively. Other fine players who are expected to play a strong role in the Sea Gull's success are Roger McCammon a senior from Baltimore, Bryan Edmondson, from Cambridge, Md. and one of the leading junior players on the Salisbury Mid-Atlantic Jr. tennis team, and Mike Besche, a highly ranked junior from Dover, Del.

Adding excitement to the year is the fact that the college has added six new courts to its tennis facility and the Sea Gulls have joined the Mason-Dixon Conference. With the addition of the six new Plexipave courts Salisbury State has one of the finest outdoor tennis facilities anywhere. Of the total of twelve courts, six are lighted with the finest Devoe lighting and two courts are semi-stadium courts with bleachers. With the fine tennis facility and host of strong players present, the prospects are bright at SSC this year.

1975 Roster

ERNEST ALONSO	5'9" 170	Jr.	20 Boone, N.C.
MIKE BESCHE	5'6" 150	Fr.	18 Dover, Del.
DENNY BRODERICK	5'11" 150	Jr.	20 Catonsville, Md.
WRAY CANNADAY	6'0" 220	So.	20 Roanoke, Va.
DAVID DAMERON	5'11" 160	Jr.	21 Mt. Holly, N.C.
PAUL DAWSON	5'8" 140	Jr.	20 Salisbury, Md.
BRYAN EDMONDSON	5'5" 145	Fr.	18 Cambridge, Md.
BILL HYLE	5'9" 175	Jr.	26 Salisbury, Md.
ROGER McCAMMON	6'4" 185	Sr.	22 Baltimore, Md.
GREG ROBINSON	6'2" 160	Jr.	20 Boone, N.C.
MARK SEWELL	5'7" 175	So.	19 Salisbury, Md.
MORGAN WHITE	5'9" 165	Jr.	22 Salisbury, Md.
JODY WHITELOCK	5'11" 145	Jr.	20 Salisbury, Md.

INDEPENDENT PLAYERS ASSOCIATION

The tennis program at Salisbury State College has noticeably improved since Dean Burroughs arrived a year ago. Under Dean's direction the program has been organized and upgraded to the extent that fine young tennis players are being attracted to Salisbury State.

The Sea Gulls are expected to be strong contenders for the Mason-Dixon Conference title this year. I wish them much success and I'm looking forward to taking in some of the matches.

William F. Riordan, Executive Director
Independent Players Association

William Riordan is a resident of Salisbury, Maryland. He is the Director of the U.S.L.T.A. National Indoor Tennis Circuit. The Salisbury National Indoor Tennis Tournament is held in Salisbury yearly and is one of the 14 tournaments on the circuit. Mr. Riordan is the manager of the top-ranked players Jimmy Connors and Ilie Nastase. As a long-time resident of Salisbury, he has been interested in the college and is currently a member of the Salisbury State Sea Gull Club, a college booster organization.

Players

Mark Sewell -finished as last years top singles player with a 12-4 record. He started off the current school year by winning the singles championship in the SSC Invitational Tournament. Only a sophomore, Mark should be very strong after completing a year of college tennis.

Greg Robinson -a tremendous mental player and will rival Sewell for the number one singles spot. He's had two outstanding years of junior college tennis plus U.S.L.T.A. tournament experience.

Billy Hyle -an outstanding doubles player in the past. After a valuable summer tennis experience, he is a threat to play in the top four singles positions.

Morgan White -last years number two singles player, He can be steady and very competitive at times. Benefiting from some strong matches last year, he could put it all together and be a strong player.

Bryan Edmundson -possesses tremendous hustle, desire, and stamina. Though only a freshman, he will play in the top six singles.

Wray Cannaday -powerfully built at 6'2" and 220 pounds, but also benefits from a great degree of finess. He had outstanding wins in junior college last year and will be important to the team as a leading singles and doubles player.

Roger McCammon - returning letterman from 1973. He could play a significant role in the singles line-up and is expected to play one half of a stronger doubles team.

Paul Dawson -unquestionably the most improved player from 1974. He is quick and has a strong forehand and backhand stroke from the baseline. He runs cross-country in addition to tennis.

Mike Besche -probably the steadiest player on the team from the baseline. Also a freshman, Mike has valuable tournament experience under his belt and will figure heavily in the singles line-up.

David Dameron -a strong serving left hander who will challenge strongly for a singles and doubles position.

1975 Schedule

March	1	Campbell	Away
	3	College of Charleston	Away
	4	College of Charleston	Away
	5	Baptist College	Away
	6	U. South Carolina at Coastal Carolina	Away
	7	Francis Marion	Away
	12	Randolph-Macon	Home
	18	Mt. St. Mary's	Home
	19	Georgetown	Away
	21	Johns Hopkins	Home
	25	St. Mary's	Away
	29	Baltimore	Home
April	4	Old Dominion	Away
	10	George Mason	Home
	12	Western Maryland	Away
	16	Glassboro	Away
	17	Loyola	Home
	19	Frostburg	Away
	22	Rutgers-Camden	Away
	24	Washington	Away
	26	Lincoln	Home
	28	U.M.B.C.	Away
May	1	Towson	Home
	9-10	Mason-Dixon Conference Tournament	Away

1974 Results (11-5)

	Salisbury	Opp.
Methodist	6	0
Francis Marion	7	2
Newberry	9	0
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Johns Hopkins	5	3
St. Mary's	8	1
George Washington	0	9
George Mason	2	7
Glassboro	4	5
Towson	5	4
Frostburg	3	6
Rugers-Camden	9	0
U.M.E.S.	9	0
U.M.B.C.	7	2
Washington College	3	6
Western Maryland	5	2

Salisbury State College

Founded in 1925, Salisbury State College is a coeducational, fully accredited four-year liberal arts college located in the heart of Maryland's historic Eastern Shore.

The college offers 28 undergraduate programs leading to the Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees and graduate programs leading to the Master of Education Degree and the Master of Arts Degree in History. Salisbury also offers the College Level Examination Program (CLEP) making possible credit for learning acquired outside the classroom; Advanced Placement to offer immediate sophomore standing to qualifiers who take exams; internships (work-study) in special areas; a Summer Educational Experience (SEE) Program for some students to be admitted who ordinarily would not qualify; and a number of credit and non-credit courses given at night for students as well as area residents.

Salisbury State also offers a wide variety of cultural and athletic activities. Concerts, lectures, plays and films are some of the cultural activities that visit the campus. The college offers 11 men's and seven women's varsity sports. An intramural program is also developing.

Salisbury is the fastest growing State College in the State of Maryland public system of higher education. It is governed by the Board of Trustees of the State Colleges and is supported by appropriations authorized by the State Legislature.

LOCATION:	Salisbury, Maryland 21801
ENROLLMENT:	2400 (Co-Ed Full-time)
COLORS:	Maroon and Gold
NICKNAME:	Sea Gulls
CONFERENCE:	Mason-Dixon
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